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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE**

MELISSA NEWTON,

Plaintiff,

v.

J.P. MORGAN CHASE & CO., a Foreign
Corporation, EXPERIAN INFORMATION
SOLUTIONS, INC., an Ohio Corporation,
TRANS UNION LLC, a Delaware Limited
Liability Company,

Defendants.

NO. C22-790-RAJ-MLP

**PLAINTIFF'S UNOPPOSED
MOTION TO AMEND COMPLAINT**

I. INTRODUCTION

Plaintiff, MELISSA NEWTON, hereby respectfully requests leave to amend her complaint to change the caption post removal (ECF No. 1), to remove TransUnion as a defendant post dismissal (ECF No. 21), and add Equifax as a defendant, because information obtained through discovery suggests that Equifax is also liable for Plaintiff's damages.

All remaining defendants have represented that they do not oppose this motion.

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II. FACTS

The operative complaint contains a state court heading and alleges state court jurisdiction. This matter was removed to this federal court and all parties stipulate to federal jurisdiction. Plaintiff's amended complaint correct the caption and jurisdictional statement.

TransUnion was dismissed as a party to this litigation.

Equifax may also be liable for Plaintiff's damages.

The remaining parties, Experian and JPMC do not oppose Plaintiff's filing of the amended complaint.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the amended complaint, as well as a clean version of the amended complaint.

This case in its infancy and no deadlines will be affected by amendment. *See* ECF No. 19, Court's Scheduling Order.

III. AUHTORITY

Courts should freely grant leave to amend. Fed. R. Civ. P. 15. Plaintiff respectfully requests that this Court freely grant Plaintiff leave to amend her complaint.

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Dated August 3, 2022

ORDER

THIS COURT having reviewed Plaintiff's motion and finding good cause shown, HEREBY GRANTS Plaintiff leave to amend her complaint. THE CLERK OF THE COURT is directed to enter the clean version of Plaintiff's amended complaint (dkt. # 22-2) as the operative pleading in this case.

Dated this 4th day of August, 2022.



MICHELLE L. PETERSON
United States Magistrate Judge